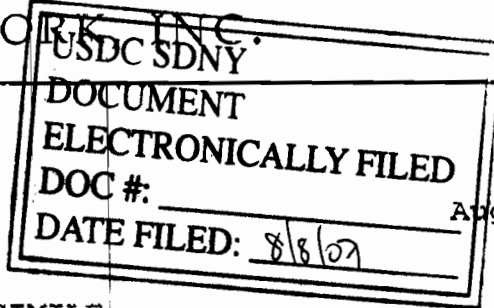


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Honorable Kenneth M. Karas
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street,
New York, NY 10007

Re: United States v. Mario Arnaldo Henriquez
05 CR 1314 (KMK)

Dear Judge Karas:


I am writing this letter pursuant to a conversation with your honor's law clerk regarding Mr. Henriquez's request for new counsel. Mr. Henriquez's case was recently transferred to me after the departure of Richard Boulware from our office. Since coming on the case, Mr. Henriquez and I have had disagreements about how to proceed with the defendant's July 14, 2007, motion. The attorney client relationship has deteriorated as a result and Mr. Henriquez no longer trusts my legal advice. Mr. Henriquez therefore requests that the Court schedule a status conference and appoint a new attorney to handle his case.

Respectfully Submitted,

By: 
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The Court will hold a conference
on August 14, 2007, at 10:30AM.

SO ORDERED


KENNETH M. KARAS U.S.D.J.
8/7/07

Honorable Judge Kenneth Keenan
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Grace to you and peace from God our Father and
 The Lord Jesus Christ.

Good day your honor I wish you the best in this
 year. May you be in great health and prosperity.

Sir, at this time I wish Mr. Peter Tsapotasnis
removed from my case. He seems to be prejudice
 against immigrants that are in need of a status
 adjustment your honor. Which is all I need.

My life right now is a disaster, my life is
 in dire need of me, my mom has cancer, my
 dad is also under medical care, my wife got raped
 my sister need my guidance. My whole family is upset

Today will be my 20th month here. The law firm
 of Federal Defender I find are not upholding
 the United States Constitution that our forefathers
 made sir. Therefore, I request for an attorney
 change. I also believe there is something of interest here.

Sincerely,

Amio Amado Henriquez

The word of God say "Thou shalt not have false
 witness." well, it's been done against me.